IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Mark Van Roon

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

This is an request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filling an Appeal Brief in the above identified application by three (3) months, and is accompanied by the requisite fees submitted electronically.

Respectfully submitted,

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